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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: FAILURE DETECTION APPARATUS FOR AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

Enclosed are:

- ☒ [X] Specification (Non-English) 29 pages.
- ☒ [X] SEVEN (7) sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1 - 7.
- ☐ [ ] An Assignment of the invention to MITSUBISHI FUSO TRUCK AND BUS CORPORATION
- ☒ [X] The application claims priority from Japanese Application 2002-261611 filed September 6, 2002.
- ☐ [ ] A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.
- ☐ [ ] A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☐ [ ] Small entity status is claimed under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ [ ] A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

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[X] An Information Disclosure Statement.

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